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STATE ROUTE 330 OPEN TODAY (MARCH 28TH)

San Bernardino County – No work will take place on State Route 330 today due to rain. Work will continue on the rock fall drape on Wednesday, March 29th. Closure hours are 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and on Fridays from 7:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The route will remain open on the weekends.

Caltrans is anticipating that the rock fall drape (steel netting) will be in place by the end of this week. Additional repairs to the slope and roadway are expected to be complete by early April, weather permitting.

Alternate routes to the mountain communities during the closure hours are SR-38 to Big Bear, SR-18 to Crestline, Running Springs and Lake Arrowhead, and SR-18 (backside) from Lucerne to Big Bear.

A contractor employee and the CHP will continue to monitor the slope when the route is open to the public to insure safety. For updates on roadwork please go to our website at www.dot.ca.gov/dist8 and click on "Press Releases" or call (909) 383-4631 for information.

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